## PATENT APPLICATION

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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In re application of

Katsuki KUSUNOKI Appln. No.: 10/581,335 Group Art Unit: 2812 Confirmation No.: 6238 Examiner: Shantanu Pathak Filed: December 14, 2006 For: **METHOD** FOR PRODUCTION OF SEMICONDUCTOR CHIP, AND SEMICONDUCTOR CHIP **AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111** MAIL STOP AMENDMENT Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Sir: In response to the Office Action dated February 18, 2009, please amend the aboveidentified application as follows on the accompanying pages. TABLE OF CONTENTS AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS......2 REMARKS......5